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"THE WILL OF A PEOPLE RESOLVED TO BE FREE IS LITTLE LESS THAN OMNIPOTENT."

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### To Correspondents.

"Nettie Gray."—Your lines are sad, but worthy a place in the archives of literature. We will publish them soon.

"A Kentuckian."—The Bulletin is grateful for your kindness in sending a communication written while aboard the cars. We believe, with you, that if the home of Boone was not held in chains by the terrorism of Lincoln, it would be with the South. Kentucky's natural position is with her sister States of the South, and we believe that position will some day be attained. Your communication is declined, however, because we have not room now for it, and you forgot to give us your real name.

"R. S. R."—Your lines suggested by the treatment of the captured, killed and wounded Confederates at Perryville, Ky., will appear as soon as some other communications sent in previously shall have been published.

"Ome."—Your lines will not repay perusal. Rejected. "This is a pity so precious a title should be affixed to so poor an attempt at poetry. We would advise you to drink more at the Aonian fount. Shallow draughts but intoxicating," says Pope. Your's was a very shallow one.

"Citizen."—We disagree with you. Your article is not *pro bona publicis*, but for the advancement of private interests. As to your suggestion that the liberal support which the people of Winchester give us ought to secure the article a place, we answer that if it were for the benefit of the people of Winchester, or Franklin county, or the public in general, we would insert it, whether we were liberally supported or not.

"J. T. B."—Will be glad to publish your article, if of the character we think it is.

NOTE.—We solicit contributions from all our old correspondents, and new ones, of course reserving the right to discard those which we think would not repay for the space they might consume.

A brilliant delegation of the beauty and fashion of Winchester took a flying trip to Tullahoma Thursday to witness the Review. The cars were literally crammed and jammed with the sweetest bouquets we have seen for many years. God bless our fair women! Their bewitching eyes and rosy cheeks almost bewildered us—imagined ourselves frequently in some fairy land, surrounded by sylphs, and fanned by the breath of cherubs. The "Old folks at Home" would go too—yes, and the little misses and boys. Such a pleasant time "Ye Local" had. Our friends, Petty and Rucker, the very accommodating Conductors, played their part admirably well.—They had a sweet time in collecting fare. Such occasions are altogether interesting. Three cheers for the ladies, our army, the Southern Confederacy and the Conductors on the Winchester and Alabama Railroad!

WORTH CONSIDERING.—Suppose, says the Tallahassee Floridian, planters plant largely of cotton, and the corn crop should prove insufficient to feed the army and the people, who will starve first, the men in the army or the planter and his slaves? In plainer words, will not the Government seize the corn in the planter's crib, and the pork in his smoke house, rather than see the soldiers starve?

The Memphis Bulletin, of the 1st, reports that the steamer Hetty Gilmore was captured in Barren river, Ky., by the Confederates. Two other steamers were above and it was supposed would also be captured.

## Review of Gen. Hardee's Troops at Tullahoma.

The Review of Gen. Hardee's troops at Tullahoma last Thursday was a magnificent as well as imposing affair. The day was beautiful, a pleasant breeze stirring all the while.—There was a large crowd of spectators present, male and female, to witness the grand military display, and to see the distinguished men who were to be the "observed of all observers."

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston being the great head of the day, of course his keen, penetrating eyes scanned closely and minutely the superb manoeuvres of the gallant troops as they passed with colors rustling in the breeze, and music sweet that gave them that pride and spirit which none but Confederate soldiers can be permitted to enjoy. It is useless for us to elaborate with regard to the precision of the movements of our gallant boys. Suffice it to say that they acted their part well, observing, in every particular, the required conformities of their acknowledged TACTICIAN, Gen. Hardee, whom they so much admire. We are free to admit that the Review of Thursday surpassed any thing of the kind we have witnessed since the immigration of "grim visaged war." Officers and privates, with an eye single to the great necessity and importance of a strict observance of military usages and discipline, waived every outside impediment and consideration, and, like Spartans of old, or imitating the more modern but refined adepts in military acquirements, presented a spectacle that would have called forth the encomiums of Napoleon's "Old Guard" in the painful days of their military aeneid. We observed nothing objectionable, save a few errors which has, from time immemorial, characterized the most consummate and best drilled corps de bataille the world ever produced.—In thus expressing ourself we but give vent to feelings which are based upon correct and unstinted observation. Facts, thoroughly and palpably demonstrated, stood out in bold relief, and no verbal allusion on our part is spared—we mean what we say, and say exactly what we mean. Our brave, daring, obedient and indomitable heroes maintained their military dignity with a vim, and the vast assemblage greeted them in a manner that evinced undeniable recognition of their skill and ability in the art or arts of war.

The grand finale of the Review deserves a notice, as it elicited much attention and created considerable excitement. We allude to a "Charge" admirably carried out by three well drilled Regiments. Having been one of the participants in the bloody battle of Perryville, and one among the number that felt highly elated when the command was given to *Charge!* the reader may rest assured that we could and did enjoy feelingly the accurate and spirited manner which characterized the culminating point of the Review.

We would be pleased to extend our remarks upon various points, but the want of space forbids us the privilege. We are gratified to state that our troops are looking remarkably well—the health of the army at Tullahoma being very good. We observed not a man that looked the least emaciated; all were in fine spirits, neatly clad and evinced a determination to approximate to the zenith of military proficiency. All honor to them and the cause in which they are engaged.

Gen. Johnston is the very personification of, and is, a great man, possessing those acknowledged traits which constitute a master spirit. His address, manners, &c., calling forth universal praise. We were highly gratified, as were the spectators, in once more having the pleasure of seeing Gen. John C. Breckinridge, who appeared among the great of the occasion. "He never looked to better advantage in his life." Gens. Hardee, Preston and Bushrod Johnson, like their compeers, appeared to great advantage—they need no eulogy.—His Excellency, Gov. Isham G. Harris, was in attendance, his countenance exemplifying that degree of earnestness so characteristic of the patriot. The Review passed off without an accident, nothing transpired to mar the interesting event.

Gen. Beauregard has presented the sword of the commander of the Yankee gunboat recently captured in Stono river, to Lieut. Col. Jos. A. Yates, in compliment to the skill and success with which the latter officer conducted the expedition which effected the capture.

## Madame Rumor.

This notorious old gossip has created much excitement for the last few days in regard to Rosecrank's "situation" as well as his supposed intentions. We have examined into the various reports and after consulting several reliable Grapevines, we are of the opinion that the Datchman in question is most assuredly falling back. Our information may be incorrect, but from the "signs of the times" at Tullahoma the old Abolitionist is drawing in his pickets and making himself and army scarce. We wait with great anxiety for further particulars.

## Flag Presentation.

Immediately after the General Review at Tullahoma a Flag was presented to the 20th Tennessee Regiment, as the award due to its distinguished gallantry. Capt. O'Hara, of Gen. Breckinridge's Staff, was the Orator, and the Flag was appropriately welcomed by Col. T. B. Smith. Both of the speakers acquitted themselves with credit in the delivery of stirring addresses.—More anon.

A gentleman who came out of the heart of Kentucky a few days ago, brings the information that Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation has wrought a very great change in public sentiment, and that many who were heretofore decided Union men are now strong for the South. It will be remembered that some months ago, gentlemen, for the privilege of taking the Yankee oath of allegiance, were charged, according to their ability to pay, from \$50 up to \$5,000, and when they could not pay the money, property to the amount levied was taken. A few weeks ago, in fright at the present state of public feeling, General Boyle issued an order that all who had taken pay should refund the money or property. The Lincoln Marshal in Bourbon county, who had taken the property of a gentleman, was called upon by the owner for its restoration. The Marshal being unable to refund, the gentleman at once had him arrested and imprisoned, at last accounts he was still in limbo. This shows that a great revolution has taken place, and that we yet have much to hope for in Kentucky.

The Salt Committee of the Virginia Legislature has formed a contract with Col. J. N. Clarkson, who was, before the war began, the most enterprising and successful manufacturer of salt in Western Virginia, to supply the State with six hundred thousand bushels of salt at one dollar and fifty cents per bushel, delivered on the cars, the State supplying the water at a valuation, which cannot, at the utmost, be more than ten or fifteen cents. Thus the price of salt under this contract will not be more than one dollar and sixty or sixty-five cents per bushel.

The Chicago Times, of the 18th ult., has a special dispatch from Washington, which says that an examination of the new Federal financial bill shows that Secretary Chase has authority, under its provisions as passed, to issue Treasury notes to the amount of twenty-one hundred and twenty-five millions of dollars.

Tobacco.—Early in the war a carpenter in Richmond gave a friend \$10,000 to invest in tobacco. With that sum one hundred and thirty hogsheads were purchased, a part of which was sold a few days since for \$16,000, leaving forty-eight hogsheads, worth between \$50,000 and \$40,000 to the carpenter's credit.

## By Telegraph.

EXPRESSLY FOR THE DAILY BULLETIN

## DISAFFECTION IN BANKS' ARMY.

Yankee troops lay down Arms!

## INTERESTING FOREIGN NEWS.

## INTERVENTION CONCEDED.

Rupture between France and England.

## Seward must be Dismissed.

MOBILE, March 17.

The Jackson Appeal says: Reports this morning from Port Hudson represent a serious outbreak of the Federal army which if correct probably accounts for the retrograde movement of Banks' army. Scouts represent that several Yankee regiments laid down their arms and were sent back. Another rumor was that two regiments, commanded by Gen. Rust, was driven back by the superior forces of the enemy. The Appeal has the following special dispatch:

PANOLA, MISS., March 18.

Federal marauders at Hernando, destroyed all the county records in that place, and also made a general jail delivery—stole all horses, mules and negroes in reach. They were attacked by Blythe's battalion, with a loss of several killed and wounded. Our loss one killed.

MOBILE, March 17.

The Appeal of the 17th says: Every thing quiet yesterday—no enemy in sight of Fort Pemberton.

The schooner Allina, Capt. Mitchell, arrived at a Confederate port to-day, bringing Havana dates to the 12th inst. News unimportant. The steamer Alice and schooner Relief, had arrived at Havana.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 19.

An English iron-clad steamer arrived at a Confederate port this morning, having left Nassau on Sunday last at 3, p. m. All steamers from this port have arrived except the Diana. She, it is said, was captured by the Quaker City.

RICHMOND 19.

In the Senate a bill to establish a Court for the investigation of claims against the Government, was under consideration, and Senate then went into secret session, and House also. No news from the lines to-day.

The Dispatch has Northern dates to the 16th War news unimportant.

Gold opened at 156½, and closed 156¾.

The London correspondence says that politicians and editors have settled down in the conviction that Seward must be speedily dismissed in compliance with a peremptory demand of the French Government, in consequence of the Mercier correspondence.

Intervention some way and at every hazard seems to be determined upon as a measure of French policy, and an open rupture cannot now be prevented without a sacrifice of national honor and dignity, which is now hailed as inevitable by unfriendly British press.

Col. H. C. Lockhart, A. A. Gen'l to Gen'l Pillow, has resigned, with the view of taking the position of A. C. S., C. S. A. for which his business capacities admirably qualify him. Colonel John C. Burch, has been appointed A. A. Gen'l to Gen. Pillow. He was formerly of the Nashville Union & American, has been with the army for some time, and is a gentleman of ability.—Our best wishes are with both gentlemen—the army is benefited in having such men in its service. No one can be with Gen. Pillow without partaking of his energy, industry and capacity.—He infuses life into all in connection with himself, and no mere drones are found in his department.—Huntsville Advocate.

It has been settled that there will be no election for Governor in Tennessee, in August next, if the Federal army continue to hold the Middle and West sections of that State. By virtue of the Constitution Gov. Harris holds his office until his successor is elected.